GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA

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OUTSTANDING AMOUNT AGAINST STATE ELECTRICITY BOARDS
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether large sum of various coal companies is outstanding against the State Electricity Boards in the country; (bj if so, the details thereof and the total sum outstanding at present against SEBs;

(c) whether the Government bias taken any initiative to settle the disputes between coal companies and SEBs;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) the cases resolved so far under securitization scheme; and

(f) trie steps taken or being taken by the Government to ensure that payme.nt is made to coal companies in time?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI DASARI NARAYANA RAO)

(a)&(b): Yes, Sir. Total sum outstanding of Coal India Limited as on 30.11.2005 amount to Rs. 1655.80 crores (Provisional). Details of total outstanding as on 30.11.2005 from SEESs are as under:-

(Rupees in crores)

s. No.	Name of he SEBs	Outstanding Dues as on 30.11.2005.
1.	Bihar State Electricity Board (BSEB)	196.26
2.	Jharkhand State Electricity Board(JSEB)	72.20
3.	Uttar Pradesh Rajya Utpadan Nigam Ltd. (UP.RVUNL)	35.35
4.	Punjab State Electricity Board(PSEB)	235.62
5.	Tamilnadu State Electricity Board (TNEB)	163.70

6. Rajasthan Rajya Utpadan Nigam Ltd. (RRVUNL) 25.76

7. Maharasthra State Electricity Board (MSEB) 78.36

8. Madhya Pradesh State Electricity Board (MPEB) 604.43

9. Chhattisgarh State Electricity Board. (CSEB) 48.72

10. Gujarat Urja Vikas Nigam Limited (GEB) 27.07

11. West Bengal State Electricity Board. (WBSEB0 2.69

12. West Bengal Power Development Corporation (WBPDCL) 150.17

13. Andhra Pradesh Power Gen. Corporation Co. (APGENCO) 2.44

14. Karnataka Power Corporation Limited. (KPCL 11.02

15. Delhi Vidyut Beard.(DVB) 2.01

Total 1655.80

(c)&(d): The Ministry of Coal and Ministry of Power jointly appoint Umpires to settle the disputes between SEBs and the coal companies of Coal India Limited. All the disputed dues of the respective SEBs upto 31.3.1995 were referred to Umpires for settlement of dues. Umpires have already pronounced awards in case of DVB/TNEB/RSEB/KPCL/ APGENCO/MSEB/MPEB/CSEB/UPSEB and BTPS. The total amount of award in favour of coal companies in these cases amount to Rs. 1189.61 crores.

(e): Bonds amounting to Rs. 2244.52 crores have been issued by the State Governments in favour of Coal companies against the coal sale dues upto 30.9.2003.

(f): Regulation of coal supplies is made by the Coal companies if the SEBs do not make payment of coal. Provision of Securitization Scheme has also been insisted for opening of irrevocable letter of credit by the SEBs for payment of coal sale dues.